

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: NYA
Peter Rushe, et al)	
	:	Group Art Unit: NYA
Application No.: NYA)	
	:	Confirmation No.: NYA
Filed: Concurrently Herewith)	
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For: A CONTAINER AND COMBINATION)	
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination on the merits, kindly
amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the claims appear on page 2 hereof.

Remarks begin on page 8 hereof.